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EXAMINING GROUP ART 2176

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Hisao NAKAGAWA, et al.) : Examiner: Maikhanh Nguyen
Appln. No.: 09/667,638) : Group Art Unit: 2176
Filed: September 22, 2000)
For: INFORMATION PROCESSING)
APPARATUS, AND ITS CONTROL)
METHOD, AND STORAGE MEDIUM) January 10, 2006

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Introductory Comments

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the final Official Action dated 01/11/2006 JADD01 00000069 09667638 450.00 OP
August 12, 2005, by two months, from November 12, 2005, to January 12, 2006. A check in the